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Call for nominations to the Fulcrum Publishing Society Board of Directors

The FPS is seeking **several individuals** for positions on the volunteer FPS Board of Directors - a term of office starting on June 1, 2024, and ending on May 31, 2025.

We are looking for candidates who are responsible, driven and passionate about our mission! Team players and strategic thinkers are all welcome to help us steer the organization toward excellence.

Time Commitment

The expected time commitment is a minimum of five hours per month.

You are required to attend monthly virtual board meetings on the fourth Sunday of the month (these meetings typically last two to three hours). You are also expected to serve on at least one of the Board committees, which meet monthly for about an hour.

Skills and Experience Sought

We are looking for individuals from all backgrounds with experience in any or a combination of the following:

- Law, especially employment law and legal matters affecting not-for-profit organizations
- Journalism and the evolving media landscape
- Finance, accounting, and auditing
- Human resources and management
- Marketing and communications
- Student outreach and representation

As an organization serving the uOttawa community, the FPS By-Law provides quota to ensure diverse perspectives on the Board. Individuals applying must identify with one of the four categories below:

Community Representative

Members of the Ottawa community at large and who have relevant professional experience.

Student Representative

University of Ottawa students who have active valid student numbers and are registered for at least one class at the University of Ottawa for at least half of their term. These students must not have ever been employed by the FPS.

Contributor Representative

Individuals who were Fulcrum contributors with staff status in the previous five years. This individual must abstain from contributing to the Fulcrum for the duration of their term in any capacity, recompensed or otherwise.

Fulcrum Alumnus

An individual who was a previous employee of the FPS and possesses requisite professional experience.

University Representative

An individual who is employed by the University of Ottawa in some capacity throughout the duration of their term.

Essential Requirements

All members of the FPS Board of Directors must:

- be eighteen (18) or more years of age;
- not have an undischarged bankruptcy;
- not be an executive or full-time employee of the University of Ottawa Students' Union (UOSU) or Graduate Students' Association (GSAED) during their term;
- not be a member of the UOSU Board of Administration or GSAED Council; and
- not be an employee of the Fulcrum, own or invest in a company contracted by the Fulcrum

To Apply

If you can see yourself making a difference on the 2024-2025 Board of Directors, this is an excellent opportunity for you! To express your interest, please carefully read and complete the following Google Form no later than **March 31, 2024**: <https://forms.gle/PVRVM2j7BKsKqMvX8>

Don't hesitate to reach out to president@thefulcrum.ca with any questions in the meantime. We look forward to receiving your application!

The Fulcrum Publishing Society is committed to providing an environment that is inclusive and equitable. Accommodations are available upon request for applicants during the application process for needs related to the grounds of the Ontario Human Rights Code.